Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 18 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 19 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 17 Feb 2021 at 17:07

Confidence: High for unsettled and changeable conditions. Medium in details from Saturday.

Headline for Thursday 18 Feb 2021: Rain clearing to showers. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Sleet showers	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
50%	40%	80%	60%	30%	60%	30%	20%

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Weather: Outbreaks of rain overnight and during the early morning, heavy at times. Drier by midday with some brighter skies, but soon turning showery, these wintry over the summits. Turning drier again in the evening. Windy with a severe wind chill.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 70% from midday with occasional or extensive cloud, base near or above the summits, but 30% early morning with extensive cloud, base 600m or less.

Visibility: Good or very good falling moderate or poor in rain or showers. Very poor at first over the summits.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	40/51 S	38/49 S	35/47 S	20/27 W	24/33 SW	27/38 SW	24/33 SW	20/30 SW	21/31 S
300	24/48 S	24/48 S	20/42 S	11/23 W	16/31 W	18/36 SW	14/30 SW	11/26 SW	12/27 S
Valley	20/46 S	20/46 S	18/40 S	11/23 W	16/32 W	17/35 SW	13/30 SW	10/25 SW	10/25 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	6/-1	5/-2	5/-1	1/-5	2/-4	2/-4	2/-5	1/-5	1/-5
300	8/3	7/2	7/3	3/-1	6/1	6/1	4/-0	3/-1	3/-1
Valley	8/4	8/4	8/4	4/0	6/2	6/2	5/1	4/0	4/0
Freezing Level*	1600m	1300m	1500m	700m	800m	800m	700m	700m	800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Wed 17 Feb 2021	7mm	21.6mm	35.4mm

Forecast for Friday 19 Feb 2021

Weather: Cloudy and overcast with outbreaks of heavy and persistent rain. Severe gales or storm force winds over the summits.

Maximum wind: South 50mph gusting 70mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 30%, extensive cloud 600 to 900m.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in rain and very poor at times at height. Occasionally good lower down.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius
At 600m: Around Plus 1 Celsius rising to 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Around 800m rising above the summits.

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